



BROOKE-ALVINSTON & WATFORD FALL FAIR

A stylized illustration of a crane is on the left, and a large gear is on the right. The background is a solid orange color with various geometric shapes and lines.

**CAUTION:
FALL FUN AHEAD**

**OCTOBER
2 & 3, 2026**

ADMISSION

ADULTS: \$20

SENIORS & HIGH SCHOOL AGE: \$10

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL AGE: \$5

UNDER 4 YEARS OLD: FREE

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President's Message

Welcome to the Brooke-Alvinston & Watford Fall Fair!

On behalf of the Brooke-Alvinston Agricultural Society, it is my absolute pleasure to welcome everyone to this year's Brooke-Alvinston & Watford Fall Fair! Whether you are a lifelong resident or visiting us for the very first time, we are thrilled to have you here to celebrate the finest traditions of our community.

Changes are sometimes necessary, but we have managed to keep some of the favourites. You can still look forward to the staple attractions, competitive exhibits, and family traditions that make our fair so special, alongside some fresh updates.

An event of this scale is only possible through incredible teamwork, and we owe a massive debt of gratitude to:

- **Our Visitors:** Thank you for coming out, filling the stands, and bringing your energy to the grounds.
- **Our Volunteers:** To the dedicated agricultural society members and community volunteers who work tirelessly from start to finish, thank you for your endless time and hard work.
- **Our Sponsors:** We are incredibly grateful to our local businesses and partners for their continued financial support and investment in our community.

Our biggest wish is that this weekend serves as a place to bring our community together, showcase our immense agricultural strength, and help every family build fun, lasting memories.

Thank you for celebrating with us and enjoy the fair!

Chris Bryans

President, Brooke-Alvinston Agricultural Society
2025-2026

Fair Ambassador's Message

As the 2025/2026 Brooke Alvinston Agricultural Society Fair Ambassador, I would like to thank you for your support over the past year. I am very grateful for the opportunity to represent my community and my family at various events throughout the year. I would say that the highlight of my term was when I was awarded the title of Fair Ambassador, however, I would say I enjoyed several events such as the Demolition Derby, Candy in the Straw, the Ontario Association of Agricultural Societies Annual Convention in Toronto. I made many strong and positive connections at the OAAS Convention, and we are committed to continue as friends and colleagues as we move on past ambassadorship. Some of the future events I am really looking forward to are the Alvinston Pro Rodeo, crowning the 2026/2027 BAAS Ambassador, and attending the Canadian National Exhibition in August.

Because of this opportunity, I have been able to grow as an individual. My understanding of the role of the BAAS, ambassador, and our fair/other events has deepened and strengthened. My commitment to my community has also grown, and it all started with my parents encouraging my involvement as a young exhibitor and participant. I still love the Frog Jumping Contest! It has been enjoyable to be a positive role model to all of the younger potential ambassadors from the Brooke-Alvinston communities.

Thank you to the BAAS, the BAAS Ambassador Program, the sponsors who helped with each of those programs, to my community, and to my parents. It has been my pleasure to represent you all.

Rayah Bressette

2025-2026

Brooke-Alvinston & Watford Fall Fair Ambassador



Brooke-Alvinston & Watford Fall Fair

Ambassador Program

Ambassador Committee: Carolyn Cornelissen (519-849-6850), Carlie Cox, Janet Denkers, Kelly Dennis, and Ashley Podolinsky

THANK YOU to our past and present Ambassador Program Sponsors!

*Municipality of Brooke-Alvinston
Alvinston & District Optimist Club
Dave & Gabrielle Ferguson
Watford Home Hardware
McAlpine Seeds*

*Township of Warwick
Watford Optimist Club
Libro Agriculture
JD Renovations
Cornelissen Farms*

2026 AMBASSADOR COMPETITION

7:00 pm, Monday, August 10, 2026
Brooke-Alvinston Inwood Community Centre Pavilion
3310 Walnut Street, Alvinston

Ambassador Of the Fair Rules:

1. Open to males or females between 17 and 24 years of age as of August 14, 2026. Previous winners of the Brooke-Alvinston & Watford Fall Fair Ambassador Competition are ineligible to compete.
2. Contestants will be judged on self-presentation, personality, an interview with a panel of judges, impromptu answers, and the presentation of a two-to-three-minute speech Using the fair theme, gear your speech on agriculture, communities if fairs. (Props may be used.)
3. Contestants are asked to arrive at 6:00 p.m. The 2026 Ambassador will be crowned at the end of the competition. In the event of only three contestants, a runner-up will be selected but not announced.
4. Any contestant crowned Ambassador or Runner-Up (either in the B.A.A.S. competition or for another Agricultural Society) who wishes to compete in this or another Ambassador Competition must revoke his or her title before applying.

Description/Duties of Ambassador

- The Ambassador must be available the entire weekend of the fair, and participate as needed in virtual or in-person events
- Attend the O.A.A.S. conference in February in Toronto
- Represent the Brooke-Alvinston & Watford Fall Fair at the C.N.E.

Ambassador of the Fairs Competition the following August

- Promote the fair at community schools and local events throughout the year, such as Christmas parades and Canada Day celebrations
- Involvement with District 13 activities
- Final duty of the Ambassador will be to attend the 2027 fair as the new Ambassador's guide

Submission deadline is Friday, August 1, 2027.

***To apply, please submit a cover letter and resume at
ambassadorBAWFF@gmail.com**

Additional information can be found on the Brooke-Alvinston & Watford Fall Fair Ambassador Facebook page, by contacting Carlie Cox (519-872-5069), or by sending a private message on our Facebook page

Past Fair Ambassadors

Alyssa Straatman 2011-2012
Ashley Cornelissen 2012-2013
Kayla Bakker 2013 - 2014
Carlie Douglas 2014 -2015
Danielle Lightfoot 2015 -2016
Emily Munro 2016 - 2017
Morgan Rombouts 2017-2018
Tori Shaw 2018-2019
Megan Redick 2019-2021
Autumn Bressette 2021-2022
Ashley Podolinsky 2022-2023
Kate Denkers 2023-2024
Courtney McKellar 2024-2025
Rayah Bressette 2025-2026

Brooke-Alvinston & Watford Fall Fair

Volunteer Scholarship

Eligibility: Student who has participated in the Brooke-Alvinston & Watford Fall Fair through volunteering and/or participating.

Award: Depending on the fair proceeds from year to year a minimum award of \$500 and certificate is given.

Requirements:

- Must have graduated from secondary school in either the current or previous school year.
- Must be entering or attending the first year of post secondary education. If going into a trade career the scholarship can be used for secondary portion of education.
- Payment will be made after proof of payment of tuition and enrollment is submitted.

Application Process:

- Student to complete application form
- Student to submit a letter explaining what they have done and how many years they have volunteered or participated in fair activities or fair board member or fair volunteer who can verify as a reference.
- Proof of graduation from High School

Award Recipient:

- The award will be presented the Friday night of the Fair during the Official Opening of the fair. Winner will be contacted by a member of the Scholarship Committee.

Application Deadline September 15th, 2026

Application Forms are available on the website (www.alvinstonfair.com)
Contact Pam Hills for more information (519) 424-3256 pamhills70@gmail.com

Sponsored by:

Rotary
Watford Club



General Rules & Regulations:

1. The Exhibition is open to anyone paying a membership fee of \$5.00. Membership does NOT entitle one to admittance to the fair grounds. Everyone pays at the gate upon entry to the grounds! (Not including Highschool, Elementary or Pre School aged children).
2. All vendors, exhibitors and performers must provide a certificate of insurance to the Agricultural Society.
3. Every article exhibited for competition (except Livestock) must be grown or manufactured by the exhibitor.
4. All expenses in connection with transportation of articles, animals, etc., to or from the grounds must be borne by the exhibitor.
5. No prize tickets of other societies will be allowed to be attached to animals or articles on exhibition until judging is completed.
6. While the Directors of the Society agree to take every precaution to ensure the safety of animals and articles brought to the exhibition, it must be distinctly understood that the owners are to assume all risk. Should any animal or article be accidentally injured, lost or stolen, the Directors will render all assistance in their power for the recovery of same, but the Society will not recognize any claim for payment of the value or any portion thereof, nor will the Society be responsible for anyone being injured in any way on the grounds.
7. All articles intended for exhibition (Livestock see Rule # 10) must be ready for judging by 12:00 noon on the Friday of the Fair, except Children's Craft Corner- Thursday by 8pm.
8. Children's Craft Corner exhibits must be brought to the arena on Thursday between 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm for judging. All articles that have been exhibited in the hall, including the School Fair, must remain until 4:00 pm on Saturday, or forfeit prize money.
9. Exhibits are to be picked up at 4:00 pm on the Saturday of the Fair. Exhibits will NOT be available for pick up during the dance.
10. All prize money(except for cash given out at the fair), will be mailed out no later than December 1st. Entry/registration form must be completed IN FULL, including full MAILING ADDRESS. If incomplete, the prize money is forfeited to the Agricultural Society.
11. Please be advised that if the Agricultural Society runs into monetary difficulty, prize money may be delayed. The Board of Directors reserves the right to pay prize money at a rate on the dollar if the financial resources are not sufficient to pay prizes in full. In the event of cancellation of any or all of the events at the Fair, the Board of Directors reserves the right to eliminate payment of any or all of the prize money.
12. All prize cheques are to be cashed before March 31st of the year following the Fall Fair. If un-cashed, prize money will be forfeited to the Agricultural Society.
13. All livestock must be on the grounds by 10:30 am on Saturday to avoid the parade.

14. No article will be allowed to compete in more than one class/section in which it belongs. If a second exhibit is present, the exhibitor forfeits all prize money in that section.
15. Light Horses & Beef, there is an entry fee of a \$5.00 per entry in each eligible class. The first class registration of \$5 is fair membership. There will be no hold back for retained membership on prize money earned (see #16)
16. For each exhibitor who has been awarded cash prizes of \$10.00 or more, 15% of all prize money will be retained by the Brooke Alvinston Agricultural Society in lieu of Class entry fees, and \$5.00 will be deducted for the next year's membership fee, (for Light Horses and Beef Cattle see #15).
17. If required, exhibitors must make statutory declarations that the animal is entered in proper class/section and it is the property of the exhibitor.
18. Persons exhibiting Purebred Livestock must produce the certificates of registration to the judges on demand.
19. All exhibitors making entries in the competition for prizes, or failing to appear in the judge's ring when the class is called shall at once be excluded from the competition.
20. Persons exhibiting horses in registered classes will be required to produce pedigree, with the exception of suckling colts, for which the name and number of the sire and dam may be taken in lieu of registration.
21. The judge's decision will be final! Exhibitors lodging a protest must present it in writing, accompanied by a \$25.00 certified cheque or cash to the committee within twenty-four hours. It must state plainly the reason for such appeal or complaint and be clearly signed by the person lodging the complaint. Unsigned letter or complaints will not be considered.
22. Any person interfering with the judges or using abusive language will forfeit all prizes. All persons on the grounds will be subject to the rules and controls of the Class Committee and the Directors.
23. Any class not shown due to unforeseen circumstances or lack of exhibitors, means the prize money will be retained by the Brooke Alvinston Agricultural Society, and all entry fees applying to such classes will be refunded.
24. Exhibitors wishing to pre-register should mail their membership form and any applicable entry fees to: BAAS, Box 242 Alvinston, Ontario, N0N 1A0. Entry Tags will be available at the local Libraries and the Arena.
25. Exhibitors must make a declaration that they have complied with the rules and regulations.
26. Entry fees are awarded to participants as part of the prize purse, therefore HST exempt.
27. In the event of a championship tie, first place is awarded to the exhibitor with the most first place winning entries.
28. Rules and regulations are subject to change.
29. Some prizes may be substituted..
30. ****NO exhibitor will JUDGE in the class that they have entered in.****

EVERYONE PAYS TO ENTER THE FAIR GROUNDS!!!!

Pet Show

Saturday of the Fair – 10:00am

Registration from 9:00am to 10:00am

Location: The Pavilion

Committee: Watford Rotary

Sponsored by: Watford Rotary

Classes are open to boys and girls 14 and under. A child can enter their pet in two different sections in each category (i.e. a child could enter their dog in the saddest looking dog and the best trick performed by a dog as well as their cat in 2 different sections. The same animal can be shown in different sections by other children of the family.

All animals will be judged on appearance and health. All pets must be caged or on a leash and have a valid rabies vaccination certificate. For animals caged all the time, a certificate is not necessary.

PRIZES: \$10, \$8, \$6 - In addition, all participants will receive \$10.00 at time of registration.

Dogs

1. Largest Dog
2. Smallest Dog
3. Saddest Looking Dog
4. Dog with the Longest Hair
5. Best Trick Performed by a Dog
6. Dog With Longest Ears
7. Dog with Longest Tail
8. Best Dressed Dog
9. Dog that Most Resembles its Exhibitor
10. Dog with the Shortest Tail

Cats

11. Largest Cat
12. Best Cat and Kittens
13. Longest Haired Cat
14. Longest Whiskered Cat
15. Most Attractive Cat
16. Best Dressed Cat
17. Cat with Longest Tail
18. Cat with Shortest Tail
19. Cat that Most Resembles its Exhibitor

Rabbits

20. Largest Rabbit
21. Smallest Rabbit
22. Most Colourful Rabbit
23. Rabbit with the Longest Ears

Guinea Pigs

24. Largest Guinea Pig
25. Most Colourful Guinea Pig
26. Smallest Guinea Pig

Hamsters

27. Largest Hamster
28. Smallest Hamster
29. Most Colourful Hamster

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Pie Auction

Friday of the Fair – 7:30 pm

Committee: Allison McFadden (519-868-2198), Mike Brodie (519-808-4172), Angie Brodie, Wayne Deans (519-464-2822)

1. All cheques are to be made payable to Children's Health Foundation LHSC
2. First and second place pies to be auctioned first.
3. All entries must be dropped off in the auditorium before noon, Friday of the Fair.
4. Entrants must fill out an entry form including full mailing address.
5. No cash prizes will be awarded this year, all raised proceeds go directly to Children's care and equipment at London Children's Hospital

1. Apple Pie
2. Cherry Pie
3. Pumpkin Pie
4. Blueberry Pie
5. Pecan Pie
6. Raspberry Pie
7. Lemon Meringue Pie
8. Elderberry Pie
9. Cream Pies (Banana, Coconut)
10. Any Other Variety Pie
11. Tarts - 1 dozen any kind
12. Kids entry and kind of pie - age 13 and under **NEW THIS YEAR



Parade

Saturday of the Fair – 11:00 am at Munro Honey

Theme: “Caution: Fall Fun Ahead”

Committee: Heather Munro (519-857-5831), Madison Podolinsky

Rules specific to the Parade:

1. Parade will be marshaled from the Munro Honey parking lot at 11:00 am sharp.
2. Dignitaries are invited to join the parade there.
3. Floats and all other entries to be judged must be registered and assembled along the south end of River Street for judging.
4. All entries must be registered prior to 10:00 am to be eligible for judging.
5. All registered entries will receive a colour card and number which must be displayed.
6. All drivers of motor vehicles must hold a valid G2 driver's permit.
(THIS WILL BE ENFORCED)

FLOATS: Prizes \$50, \$45, \$40

1. Neighbourhood Float
2. School Float
3. Local or Regional Organization
4. Family Float
5. Commercial Float

VINTAGE VEHICLES: Prizes \$20, \$15, \$10

Owner's name, model and year must be visibly clear.

6. Vintage Vehicle
7. Vintage Tractor
8. Vintage Fire Truck
9. Oldest Antique Tractor **\$25, \$15, \$10**

MOUNT & RIDER: Prizes \$20, \$15, \$10

10. Mount & Rider
11. Horse & Cart

CLOWN: Prizes \$12, \$10, \$8

12. Clown, Adult
13. Clown, Child

Demolition Derby

Saturday Evening of the Fair – 7:00 pm

Everyone pays at the gate upon entry to grounds.

Committee: Jim Mihalik (519-847-5733)

Rules specific to the Demo Derby:

1. Gates for pit area will open for 4x:00 pm
2. Cars must be registered and approved prior to 12 noon.
3. Driver's meeting will be at 6:30 sharp
4. Must have a valid driver's license- minimum of G2
5. No alcohol allowed except in designated area (Beer Tent)
6. First Heat will start at 7 pm SHARP!
7. All registration fees to be paid in CASH
8. B.A.A.S and the Demo Derby Committee are not responsible for any personal injuries, accidents, losses or damages.

Rules & Regulations for all classes, provided on-line on the "Alvinston Fair Demolition Derby"

Classes

Will be available on the "Alvinston Fair Demolition Derby" Facebook Page

****Guaranteed Power Wheel Class****

Brooke Alvinston Agricultural Society and Demo Committee are not responsible for any personal or property injuries, accidents or damages.

Class 1

Heavy Horses

Committee: Wayne Deans (844-2198)

Everyone pays at the gate upon entry to the grounds.

NOTE: When entering either heavy or light, no cross entry in classes 11-17. All exhibitors entered at the Brooke-Alvinston & Watford Fall Fair must have insurance coverage to exhibit at fairs and are required to enter, on the entry form, the liability insurance company's name, policy number and date of expiry.

****Entry forms must be signed by the exhibitor ****

There will be a \$5.00 membership fee paid and 15% of all earnings will be deducted in lieu of entry fees for the following year.

All line classes first at 11:30 am, followed by 4 horse hitch, unicorn, singles and teams.)

Line Classes: ALL SHOWN TOGETHER

Clydesdale, Percheron, Belgian & Commercial

Prizes \$45, \$40, \$35, \$30

1. Brood mare with foal at foot
2. Foal, current year
3. Foal, one year
4. Filly or gelding, 2 years
5. Filly or gelding, 3 years
6. Light draft, 4 years or older
7. Heavy draft, 4 years or older
8. Progeny of Dam

Single in Harness: Prizes \$40, \$35, \$30, \$25

9. Single Clydesdale, Percheron, or Belgian

Teams: (All teams shown together. Light and heavy split. If more than 3 of one breed class, will be split and shown in own breed.)

11. Light Draft Teams **\$55, \$50, \$45, \$40**
12. Heavy Draft Teams **\$55, \$50, \$45, \$40**
13. Unicorn Hitch **\$60, \$55, \$50, \$45**
14. 4 Horse Hitch **\$60, \$55, \$50, \$45**
15. Lady Driver **\$40, \$35, \$30, \$25**
16. Junior Driver, Single Horse (18 years & under, accompanied by adult) **\$40, \$35, \$22, \$20**

Specials

Best Unicorn	\$25, \$15, \$10
Best 4 Horse Hitch	\$25, \$15, \$10
Best Team (<i>Cran Construction</i>)	\$25, \$15, \$10
Best Progeny of Dam	

\$10

Best Heavy Horse on Grounds (*1 entry per exhibitor*) **\$30, \$20, \$15, \$10**

Best Heavy Colts of Current Year **\$40, \$30, \$20**

Class 2

Light Horses

Committee: Donna Watson 519-384-8601 bdwatson@hotmail.ca
Janice McEachern, Debbie McLean, Anne Lehrbass, Kyle McEachern

Everyone pays Admission at the gate upon entry to the grounds.

NOTE: There will be an entry fee of **\$5.00** per entry in each eligible class.
There will be no hold back on prize money earned.

• **Protective headgear for exhibitors under the age of 18 is optional but is strongly recommended!**

- Papers may be checked on all registered horses.
- No cross entering will be allowed, competitors must show in proper classes.
- There will be no refunds on scratched or missed classes.
- No changing classes after you are registered!
- All exhibitors at the Brooke Alvinston Watford Fall Fair must have sufficient insurance coverage to exhibit at fairs and are required to enter the name of insurance company, policy number and date of expiry on their entry form.
- Three (3) warning calls will be given on all classes, the gate will be closed, and the class considered to be complete.
- If a tack change is required, please notify the ring steward or announcer prior to the class being called.

1. All halter classes shown in the am, and all driving & riding classes to be shown in the pm. There will be an approximate 45min lunch break. Trail Classes will be shown in a separate ring with a separate judge, commencing at 1pm

2. All entries must be registered prior to show commencing. Preregistration is encouraged! Mail entry forms with fees to Shirley McEachern, 7775 Rokeby Line, Alvinston Ontario, N0N 1A0 or call (519) 847-5211 OR Donna Watson, 7229 Petrolia Line, Alvinston, Ontario, N0N 1A0, 519-384-8601 or bdwatson@hotmail.ca

3. The judge's decision will be final! Exhibitors lodging a protest must present it in writing, accompanied by a \$25.00 certified cheque or cash to the committee within 24 hours. It must state plainly the reason for such appeal or complaint and be clearly signed by the person lodging the complaint. Unsigned letters or complaints will not be considered.

4. Harassment of the judge or officials will not be tolerated and will result in removal from fair grounds.

Alvinston Fair Light Horse Show
Saturday October 3, 2025 - 10:00 am
Judge: Christy McMullen

Stake classes have a \$10 entry fee. A percentage of entry fees will be added to the prize monies of \$100, which will then be divided, and a **percentage** will be paid according to placings.

Stake classes may be entered at ring side.

Arabians – Registered

Prizes (sections 1-2) \$25, \$24, \$23, \$22, \$21

1. Arabian Mares, all ages
2. Arabian Geldings, all ages

Prizes (sections 3-5) \$35, \$34, \$33, \$32, \$31

3. Arabian Western Pleasure
4. Arabian English Pleasure
5. Arabian Native Costume
- 6. *Arabian Western Pleasure Stake***
- 7. *Arabian English Pleasure Stake***

Quarter Horses – Registered

Prizes (sections 8-9) \$25, \$24, \$23, \$22, \$21

8. Quarter Horse Mares, all ages
9. Quarter Horse Geldings, all ages

Prizes (sections 10-13) \$35, \$34, \$33, \$32, \$31

10. Quarter Horse Western Pleasure
11. Quarter Horse English Pleasure
- 12. *Quarter Horse Western Pleasure Stake***
- 13. *Quarter Horse English Pleasure Stake***

Appaloosa and Paints - Registered

Prizes (sections 14-15) \$25, \$24, \$23, \$22, \$21

14. Appaloosa and Paint Mares, all ages
15. Appaloosa and Paint Geldings, all ages

Prizes (sections 16-17) \$35, \$34, \$33, \$32, \$31

16. Appaloosa and Paint Western Pleasure
17. Appaloosa and Paint English Pleasure

All Other Saddle Horses– Registered

Prizes (sections 18-19) \$25, \$24, \$23, \$22, \$21

18. All Other Saddle Horse Mares, all ages
19. All Other Saddle Horse Geldings, all ages

Prizes (sections 20-23) \$35, \$34, \$33, \$32, \$31

20. Western Pleasure
21. English Pleasure
- 22. *Appaloosa, Paints and all other Saddle Horse Western Pleasure Stake***
- 23. *Appaloosa, Paints, and all other Saddle Horse English Pleasure Stake***

Open Classes – All Breeds

Prizes (sections 24-27) \$24, \$22, \$20, \$18, \$16

- 24. Open Driving Class (all breeds, all ages)
- 25. Junior Showmanship - (up to 12 years and under)
- 26. Intermediate Showmanship (13 to 18 years)
- 27. Senior Showmanship (19 years & over)

Prizes (sections 28-35) \$35, \$33, \$31, \$29, \$27

- 28. Open Pleasure Walk/Trot (English or Western attire, rider eligible to ride in class **29** only) (13 years & under).
- 29. Open Horsemanship Walk/Trot (English Western attire, rider eligible to ride in class **28** only) (13 years & under)
- 30. Open Pleasure-3 gaited (13 years & under, Western/ English attire)
- 31. Open Horsemanship-3 gaited (13 years & under, Western/ English attire)
- 32. Open Pleasure (14-18 years of age, Western/ English attire)
- 33. Open Horsemanship (14-18 years of age, Western/ English attire)
- 34. Lead Line (10 Years of age and under, Western/ English attire, rider not eligible to ride in any other class)
- 35. Open Senior Pattern Class
- 36. Open English Pleasure Walk/Trot (19+, eligible in class **#37** only)
- 37. Open Western Pleasure Walk/Trot (19+, eligible in class **#36** only)

Trail Class:

Prizes \$35, \$33, \$31, \$29, \$27

- 38. Trail Class 18 years & over

Prizes \$35, \$33, \$31, \$29, \$27

- 39. Trail Class 17 years & under

NOTE: Will be Commencing at 1pm

Best Light Horse on the Grounds

Open to **1st** and **2nd** placings from halter classes

Best Light Horse

Receives a championship banner and a horse cooler donated by BAAS

Reserve Light Horse

Receives a reserve champion banner donated by BAAS

Most Dedicated - Shirley McEachern Award

13 years and under - Donated by the Family of Shirley McEachern

Arabian Classes

Donation made in memory of Adriaan "Art" Brand by the Ontario Arabian Association

Kids Classes

Donation made in memory of Archie Annett

Any suggestion or ideas for improving this event are welcome; the committee strives to make this event enjoyable and competitive for all competitors.

****Official Show List** 10:00 am SHARP Order the classes will be called:**

1. Arabian Mares, all ages
8. Quarter Horse Mares, all ages
14. Appaloosa and Paint Mares, all ages
18. All other Saddle Horse Mares, all ages
2. Arabian Geldings, all ages
9. Quarter Horse Geldings, all ages
15. Appaloosa and Paint Geldings, all ages
19. All Other Saddle Horse Geldings, all ages
27. Senior Showmanship, 19 years and older
26. Intermediate Showmanship, 13-18 years of age
25. Junior Showmanship, 12 and under

Lunch Break—Approximately 45 minutes Ring will be open to work horses during this time

24. Driving Class (all breeds, all ages)
34. Open Lead Line (10 and under)
5. Arabian Native Costume
28. Open Pleasure Walk/Trot (13 & under, rider to ride in Section 29 only)
29. Open Horsemanship Walk/Trot (13 & under, rider to ride in Section 28 only)
4. Arabian English Pleasure
7. Arabian English Pleasure Stake
11. Quarter Horse English Pleasure
13. Quarter Horse English Pleasure Stake
30. Open Pleasure - 3 gaited (13 and under, Western/English attire)
31. Open Horsemanship - 3 gaited (13 and under, Western/English attire)
17. Appaloosa and Paint English Pleasure
21. All Other Saddle Horse English Pleasure
23. Appaloosa and Paint and All Other Saddle Horse English Pleasure Stake
32. Open Pleasure (14-18 years of age, Western/English attire)
33. Open Horsemanship (14-18 years of age, Western/English attire)
3. Arabian Western Pleasure
6. Arabian Western Pleasure Stake
10. Quarter Horse Western Pleasure
12. Quarter Horse Western Pleasure Stake
16. Appaloosa and Paint Western Pleasure
20. All Other Saddle Horse Western Pleasure
22. Appaloosa, Paint & All Other Saddle Horse Western Pleasure Stake
37. Open Western Pleasure Walk/Trot (19+, eligible in class #37 only)

- 35. Open Senior Pattern Class
- 36. Open English Pleasure Walk/Trot(19+, eligible in class #38 only)
- 38. Trail Class (19 and under) to be shown in separate ring with a separate judge.
- 39. Trail Class (18 and over) to be shown in separate ring with a separate judge.

Best Light Horse on Grounds and Reserve Champions

Shirley McEachern Award for the Most Dedicated (13 and Under

Class 3

Beef Cattle

Everyone pays at the gate upon entry to the grounds.

All animals must be on the grounds by 10:00 am Saturday of the fair

Committee: Tanya Lassaline 519-466-4549, Kelly Dennis, Jeff Lassaline, Amber McLachlan, Bob McLachlan, Grant Lehrbass

Sponsored by: Gary Field Homes, Lambton Cattlemen's Association, Grant Lehrbass, Mellis Construction Ltd, McNally Excavating, Bluewater Power, Van Tuyl & Fairbanks, Parrish and Heimbecker, DLS Computer Systems, Brodie Spray Services, Tim Campbell Livestock, McNeil Grain & Feed, McLachlan & Chalcraft Family

**** All exhibitors entered at the Brooke-Alvinston Watford Fall Fair must have insurance coverage to exhibit at fairs. Entry forms must be signed by the exhibitor.****

Brooke-Alvinston 4-H Beef Club Achievement Program

Saturday of the fair, 10:30 am

Leaders: Amber McLachlan (519-358-7704), Maaika Campbell

Classes:

1. Showmanship - Senior, Intermediate, Junior, Novice
2. Champion Showmanship
3. Market - Steers, Heifers
4. Champion Market
5. Breeding - Calves, Yearlings
6. Champion Breeding

PEEWEE Showmanship Class

Open to youth 4-9 years of age. Class will be held at 1:00 pm (or directly following the 4-H Inter-County Program). Registration will take place at the judge's stand, and no entry fee is required. Children are encouraged to have adult assistance in the ring if needed. Each exhibitor will receive a ribbon and monetary prize for participating.

Section 1: 4-H Inter-county Program

No entry fees for classes within this section. All exhibitors must be bonafide 4-H members. If requested, Ontario membership cards will be the only proof of membership accepted. Calf must be their project animal born in 2024 or 2025. Dress code will consist of clean and tidy clothing. Judging will commence immediately following the PEEWEE showmanship class and the Brooke-Alvinston Beef 4-H Achievement Program. Registration will take place at the judge's stand when announced.

Showmanship Classes

Determined the day of the show based on ages of participants.
(Approx. Novice 9(1st year), Junior 10-13, Intermediate 14-16, Senior 17-21)

Prize Money: \$25; \$20, \$15, \$12, \$10, \$10, \$8

(Senior) (Intermediate) (Junior)

Champion Showperson: \$25.00

Reserve Champion Showperson: \$10.00

Confirmation Classes: Prize Money: \$30; \$25; \$20; \$15; \$10

1. Heavy Steer
2. Light Steer
3. Market Heifer
4. Champion Market Animal
5. Breeding Heifer Calf
6. Breeding Heifer Yearling
7. Champion Breeding Heifer

Champion Market Animal----- (\$30)

Reserve Champion Market Animal----- (\$20)

Champion Breeding Heifer ----- (\$30)

Reserve Champion Breeding Heifer ----- (\$20)

The Dave Kearns Memorial Award

Dave Kearns, as most of you know was an active 4H leader. He took pride in his show kids and inspired so many. Dave never stood beside the ring with criticism but always with an encouraging word. He was never concerned with the red ribbons but was however concerned about how the cattle were taken care of and the smile on the kids in the show ring.

The Dave Kearns Memorial Award was inspired by who Dave was and what he stood for. The award will not go to the Champion animal or the Champion Show person, but to the 4H member who shows their love of showing, their animal and the 4H member who embodies all that Dave inspired in us. Sponsored by Dave's family & friends

Section 2 – Market Program

Entry fee of \$5.00 per head must be paid on the day of the show. The 15% retain on prize money does not apply to this section. Cattle will be weighed, if scales are available; otherwise the judge will split classes in the show ring. Judging will commence after the Intercounty 4-H program.

****Market heifers are not eligible to be shown in the breeding classes in Section 3. ****

Classes: Prize money: \$50; \$45; \$40; \$35; \$25

1. Heavy Steer
2. Light Steer
3. Market Heifer
4. Champion Market Animal

Champion Market Animal ----- (\$100)

Reserve Champion Market Animal ----- (\$75)

Section 3 – Breeding Program

\$5.00 membership fee must be paid the day of the fair for each exhibitor.

15% of all prize winnings will be retained as the entry fees for these classes.

Judging follows the 4-H Inter-county and Market programs.

**** Each class will consist of purebred and crossbred cattle shown together. ****

Classes: Prize money: \$50; \$45; \$40; \$35; \$30; \$25

1. Bull calf born on or after January 1 of 2026
2. Bull yearling – born January 1 – December 31, 2025
3. Champion Bull
4. Heifer Calf born on or after January 1 of 2026
5. Heifer yearling born April – December of 2026
6. Heifer yearling born January – March of 2025
7. Cow born in 2023 with her natural 2026 calf at foot
8. Mature cow with her natural 2026 calf at foot
9. Champion Female

Champion Bull ----- (\$100)

Reserve Champion Bull----- (\$45) (*Grant Lehrbass*)

Champion Female----- (\$100)

Reserve Champion Female----- (\$45)

SPECIAL – BREEDER’S HERD

A group of four animals bred by the exhibitor with both sexes represented and must have been shown in the previous classes. At least one animal must be owned by the exhibitor. Limit one entry per exhibitor. No entry fee or prize winning deductions.

Prize money: \$60; \$55; \$50; \$45; \$40; \$35

SPECIAL – Best Cow & Calf Pair

Prize money: \$25 (Wiedmanview Clydesdales, Wayne Deans) (1 entry per exhibitor)

SPECIAL - Bull Calf On or After Jan 1 of 2026

Prize money: 1st; \$50 (Lambton Meats) 2nd; \$25 (wiedmanview Clydesdale / Wayne Deans)

SPECIAL - Heifer Calf Born on or After Jan 1 2026

Prize money: 1st; \$50 (Lambton Meats) 2nd; \$25 (Wiedmanview Clydesdales / Wayne Deans)

Junior Grain King or Queen

COMBINED WITH 4-H FIELD CROP CLUBS

Committee: Carolyn Cornelissen (519-849-6850), Penny VandenOuweland (519-849-5084)

Sponsored by: *Shea Ag Ltd, Jeff Shea*

1. Competitors must be between 10 and 16 years old.
 2. Each competitor must exhibit their entries at the fairgrounds by noon on Friday of the fair.
 3. For the Field Corn competition, 6 ears of corn to be displayed
 4. For the Soybean competition, 6 soybean stalks with roots removed to be displayed
 5. For the Winter Wheat competition, 5 pounds of wheat to be displayed
 6. To be eligible to win Junior Grain King or Queen must submit all 3 categories
 7. Competitors do not need to be 4-H members
- **Each person who enters all 3 categories (corn, soybeans, wheat) will receive a gift from Shea Ag. ****

Soybeans \$10, \$8, \$7 Corn \$10, \$8, \$7 Winter Wheat \$10, \$8, \$7

JUNIOR GRAIN KING OR QUEEN will receive a keeper plaque. (*All donated by Shea Ag. Service, Jeff Shea*)

Sponsored by: *Douglas & Elliott Pioneer Seeds*
(*For 4H Members*)

Top 4-H Senior Member \$20

Top 4-H Junior Member \$20

Sponsored by:

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Educational Exhibits

All worthy entries will be awarded a \$25.00 presentation award.

Sponsored in part by BAAS

1. The theme of the exhibit is exhibitor's choice.
2. Exhibits allotted a space approximately 6 feet wide, 3 feet deep, 3 feet high.
3. Exhibits are to be set up by NOON Friday of Fair and remain until **4:00pm Sunday** or forfeit money.

Class 5

Grains & Seeds

Committee: Kevin Straatman (519-312-5516) Burton McKinlay, Jeff Lassaline, Tanya Lassaline, Danielle Cornelissen

Sponsored by: *Wanstead Farmers Co-Op*

NOTE: Must be product of current year, except 5 pounds of Soybeans may be last year's. Treated grain will be disqualified. Plain bags, no labeling. Underweight exhibits not placed.

****Soybean and Corn Stalks must have the roots removed!****

RULES:

The exhibitor who accumulates the most points, with **at least 3 entries** in class 5, Section 1 - 21 and at least one entry in the FieldCrop Competition will become and will win:

GRAND CHAMPION "KING OF THE GRAINS AND SEEDS"

will win for one year, a Perpetual Plaque with name engraved, to stay in the showcase, and will receive a Keeper plaque (*donated by Burton McKinlay*) **Plus** an assortment of gifts.

Prizes (sections 1-21) \$10, \$8, \$7

1. White Fall Wheat, 5 pounds
2. Red Fall Wheat, 5 pounds
3. Spring Barley, 5 pounds
4. Winter Barley, 5 pounds
5. Oats, 5 pounds
6. Red Clover, 5 pounds
7. Corn, Sweet Garden, 6 Ears
8. Hybrid Corn, 6 Ears Under 3000 Heat Units
9. Hybrid Corn, 6 Ears Over 3000 Heat Units
10. Popcorn, 6 Ears
11. Silage corn, 6 Stalks
12. 5 pounds of Soybeans, coloured hilum
13. 5 pounds of Soybeans, white hilum
14. 6 stalks of Soybeans Under 3000 Heat Units
15. 6 stalks of Soybeans 3000 Heat Units and over
16. Single non-branched stock of soybeans Under 3000 Heat Units
17. Single non-branched stock of soybeans, 3000 Heat Units & Over
18. Hay 12" Section Bale
19. 1 bushel cut Dry Hay
20. 6 Non-branched stalks of Soybeans Under 3000 Heat Units
21. 6 Non-branched stalks of Soybeans 3000 Heat Units & Over

Specials

22. Most Attractive Display of Hybrid Ear Corn

- (Ken Campbell) \$5, \$4, \$3
23. Section 20
(MacKellar Farms) \$25, \$15, \$10
24. Section 21
(McKinlay Farms) \$25, \$15, \$10
25. Most Points accumulated in Sections 8 & 9
(Elliott Shetland Farms) \$15
26. Most Points accumulated in Sections 18 & 19
(Elliott Shetland Farms) \$10
27. Best Decorative Sheaf of Oats
(Elliott Shetland Farms) \$15, \$10
28. Best Decorative Sheaf of Wheat
(Elliott Shetland Farms) \$7, \$5, \$3
29. Most points accumulated in sections 1 & 2
(In Memory of Art Griffith) \$10
30. Most points accumulated in sections 12 & 13
(In Memory of Art Griffith) \$10

Sponsored by:



Class 5A
Field Crop Competition
Field Corn, Soybean and Winter Wheat

Committee: *Kevin Straatman, Jeff Lassaline, Burton McKinlay, Tanya Lassaline, Danielle Cornelisson*

Sponsored by: *BDO Canada LLP*

Rules:

1. Each field entered for the competition must have an area of not less than five acres.
2. Entry limited to paid members of the Agricultural Society.
3. Competitors must be 16 years or older.
4. All exhibits should be identified by variety name.
5. Crops will be judged when nearing maturity. The judge, in scoring the fields, will consider such factors as purity of variety, freedom from plant diseases and insects, stand, vigor, uniformity and maturity of the crop; trimmed headlands, fence lines and crop division strips.
6. Each competitor must also provide an exhibit of their competition at the fairgrounds by noon on Friday of the fair.
7. For the Field Corn competition, 6 ears of corn to be displayed.
8. For the Soybean competition, 6 soybean stalks with roots removed are to be displayed.
9. For the Winter Wheat competition, 5 pounds of wheat is to be displayed.
10. Scoring is to be weighed: 50% for Field score - 50% for Fair Day Display
11. To enter the competition, contact any Grain and Seed committee member:

Corn

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| 1st | Lassaline Seeds, Pioneer Seed Voucher for 1 Unit of Seed Corn |
| 2nd | Product Voucher or certificate |
| 3rd | Product Voucher or certificate |

Soybeans

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| 1st | McAlpine Seeds, Pioneer Seed Voucher for 5 Units of Seed Soybean |
| 2nd | Product Voucher or certificate |
| 3rd | Product Voucher or certificate |

Winter Wheat

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| 1st | Elliott Seeds, Pioneer Seed Voucher for 10 Units of Seed Wheat |
| 2nd | Product Voucher or certificate |
| 3rd | Product Voucher or certificate |

Most Points Accumulated In All Crop Competition:

Product Voucher or certificate

Special Prizes for Field Judging

1. Highest scoring Corn Field \$20
2. Highest scoring Soybean Field \$20
3. Highest scoring Wheat Field \$20

Special Prizes for Display Judging

1. Highest scoring Corn display \$20
2. Highest scoring Soybean display \$20
3. Highest scoring Wheat display \$20

Each entry that places 4th to 10th place in each display category will receive \$10 provided by BDO Canada LLP.

Sponsored by:



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Class 6

Roots, Fruits & Vegetables

Committee: Eric Hogervorst

NOTE: Eligibility for Top Vegetable Gardener extends only to TWO consecutive years of winning.

Top Vegetable Gardener:

The person who compiles the most points in Class 6 from sections 1- 47.

All entries should be clean but not washed.

Exhibit tomatoes with stems on and root crops with root attached.

All entries must be from exhibitor's home garden.

Section

Prizes \$5, \$4, \$3

1. Beets, round for table use, 3, trim tops 2.5-5cm above crown
2. Beets, long for table use, 3, trim tops 2.5-5cm above crown
3. Cabbage, Savoy, 1 head
4. Cabbage, Red, 1 head
5. Cabbage, White, 1 head
6. Carrots, for table use, 3, trim tops approx 1/2in from crown
7. Cauliflower, 1 head
8. Cucumber, Slicing, 3
9. Garlic, 3 bulbs
10. Onions, Spanish, 3, skin left on, trim tops 2.5-5cm above bulb
11. Onions, Red, 3, skin left on, trim tops 2.5-5cm above bulb
12. Onions, White, 3, skin left on, trim tops 2.5-5cm above bulb
13. Onions, Yellow 3, skin left on, trim tops 2.5-5cm above bulb
14. Parsnips, for table use, 3
15. Peppers, Hot, 5
16. Peppers, Sweet Banana, 5
17. Peppers, Sweet Bell, 3
18. Potatoes, Kennebec, 5
19. Potatoes, Red Chieftain, 5
20. Potatoes, Superior, 5
21. Potatoes, Yukon Gold, 5
22. Potatoes, A.O.V., Named, 5
23. Pumpkin, Field, 1
24. Pumpkins, Pie, 1
25. Squash, Buttercup, 2
26. Squash, Butternut, 2
27. Squash, Hubbard, 1
28. Squash, Pepper, 2
29. Squash, A.O.V., Named, 2
30. Tomatoes, Cherry, 1 Cluster

31. Tomatoes, Red, 3, Stem on
32. Tomatoes, Roma, 3, Stem on
33. Turnips, Purple Topped Swede, 1
34. Muskmelon, 1
35. Watermelon, Long, 1
36. Watermelon, Round, 1
37. Zucchini, 2 (Max. 8 inches long)
38. Apples Named, 5
39. Pears Named, 5
40. Plums Named, 5
41. Raspberries, Ever-bearing, 1/2 litre
42. Any other fruit or vegetable not listed

Specials

43. Most Attractive Vegetable display, 2' x 2' area with min. of 10 vegetables, Quality & Display to count. **Gift Card**
44. Best display of at least 5 varieties locally grown squash. **\$5, \$3, \$2**
45. Gift basket of assorted locally grown fruit and vegetables, exhibitors choice. **\$5, \$3, \$2**

Note ~ All food remaining after Sunday will be donated to the Alvinston Food Bank

Class 7

Largest Grains & Pumpkins

Committee: Eric Hogervorst

NOTE: All exhibits for this class must be on the fairgrounds for **noon** on the Friday of the fair. Judging/weighing begins at 12:00pm.

Grains

Prizes \$5, \$4, \$3

1. Biggest Sunflower Head
2. Tallest Sunflower (recommended to be mounted on a board)
3. Longest Cob of Corn
4. Tallest Stalk of Corn

Pumpkin

Prizes \$30, \$20, \$15, \$10 (section 5 only)

5. Largest Pumpkin

NOTE: Due to the complexity of moving these exhibits, the committee requests exhibitors to please place their pumpkin on a blanket on a pallet. The exhibitor must be present to ensure the safe handling of their property.

The official weighing of the pumpkins will take place at 12:00 pm on the Friday of the Fair.

Class 8 - Home Department

Home Crafts & Hobbies

Committee: Beth Lucan (519-312-5579), Marilyn Dolbear, Nancy McLachlin, Margaret Bojkovic, Fay Gray, Melanie DeRoche, Lynne Coker, Marilyn Walsh, Dawn McNally, Julie Berdan

NOTE: Eligibility for Home Craft Queen extends only to TWO consecutive years of winning.

The Queen will take part in the awards ceremony Friday night and ride in the parade on Saturday (Failure to do so, could result in forfeiture of prizes)

Home Craft & Hobby Queen will be the person who compiles the most points in Class 8 excluding specials. Must have at least one entry in 5 of the categories of Class 8 (ex. quilts, crochet, crafts, etc.).

Brooke Alvinston Agricultural Society

Tiara & Prize Pack

Rules

1. All work must be homemade by the Exhibitor.
2. Only one item per exhibitor in each section.
3. Members of the committee reserve the right to not present any entries shown several years to the judge for judging. Articles may have been used but must be clean. Any soiled articles will be disqualified.
4. All articles must be easily movable.
5. Keep in mind that machine knit articles cannot compete with hand-knitting. Please be fair to our hand knitters.

Size Guide: Baby/Crib 36x60; Double/Full 84x90; Queen 90x96; King 108x95

Quilter's Corner

We encourage everyone to enter their quilts, even if they have been hand quilted by several people, or machine quilted short arm or long arm. We love to display all of your fabulous creations.

We would like first time quilters to enter.

Prizes (sections 100-116) \$15, \$12, \$10

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| 100 | Quilt, hand quilted, min. 79"x90" |
| 101 | Quilt-made by someone under 18 years |
| 102 | Quilted tote bag, any size |
| 103 | Quilt wool applique, any size |
| *104 | Memorial Quilt, any size |
| *105 | Quilt, Original design created by exhibitor |
| *106 | Quilt, single bed, any technique, approx 72"x90" |
| 107 | Quilt made from scraps, any size, (minimum twin). |

- 108 Quilt, Queen bed, any technique
- 109 Quilt, Double bed, any technique
- 110 Quilt, King bed, any technique
- 111 Your first ever quilt, any technique
- 112 Quilted Jacket
- 113 Quilt, Machine, Double or Twin
- 114 Quilt, Machine, over Queen or King
- 115 Quilt, 1 Pair of pillow cases
- 116 Quilt, homemade apron

Prizes (sections 117-122) \$10, \$8, \$6

- 117 Quilt, crib size with panel
- *118 Quilt, crib size, any technique
- 119 Wall Hanging, quilted, any size(must be able to be hung)
- 120 Quilt Block, machine or hand pieced, any pattern (mounted)
- 121 Quilt Block, applique, mounted
- 122 Quilt, practical, for on a couch

Prize (section 123) \$5, \$3, \$2

- 123 Cushion, quilted

Specials

Quilt any size for donation to cause of exhibitors choice

Best Quilt in Fair, Hand Quilted \$30

Best Quilt in Fair, Machine Quilted \$20

Best of Section 104 Gift Cert - Stitcharie Petrolia

Best of Section 105 Gift Cert - Stitcharie Petrolia

Best of Section 106 Gift Cert - Stitcharie Petrolia

Best of Section 118 Gift Cert - Stitcharie Petrolia

Most Overall Points in Quilting Section \$25

**ONTARIO ASSOCIATION OF AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES
ANNUAL HAND QUILTED CHAMPIONSHIP QUILT COMPETITION
ELIGIBILITY, RULES AND REGULATIONS**

A. The quilt must be solely made and hand quilted by the exhibitor and exhibited and judged at a local Ontario Association of Agricultural Societies (OAAS) fair to be eligible for this competition.

B. * Entry quilts to be measured on the perimeter. Total perimeter measurement must be a minimum of 324" (smaller quilts will not be eligible to proceed to the next level of competition). Note the quilt can be square, rectangular etc. All 4 sides must be measured to determine the perimeter measurement.

C. The quilting must be through all 3 layers (top, batting and back) and not be mounted on a frame. The quilt may have a sleeve attached to the back for the purpose of hanging the quilt.

D. The winning OAAS Hand Quilt will not be eligible to compete in any future OAAS fair, district and/or provincial competitions.

E. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to give credit to the original designer of the quilt pattern based on copyright rules.

District Competition

- A. Each local fair is entitled to send their best of show of all eligible hand quilts to the district competition.
- B. If the fair's best of show hand quilt has won at more than one fair, the exhibitor must consider their own agricultural society as the one from which the quilt will be sent to the district meeting, otherwise it should be sent from the agricultural society nearest his/her home address. The other fairs at which this quilt was entered and won, may enter their second best of show hand quilt into the district competition.
- C. An exhibitor who wins more than one best of show title with different hand quilts at different fairs is entitled to enter each winning quilt in the district competition.
- D. If an exhibitor is exhibiting in more than one district, they are entitled to enter different winning quilts at different district competitions but cannot enter the same quilt at more than one district competition.
- E. The OAAS will award a ribbon to exhibitors of winning hand quilts at each district competition.

Provincial Competition:

A \$500.00 GRAND PRIZE and rosette will be awarded. The exhibitor will retain ownership of the quilt. A \$100 RESERVE GRAND PRIZE will be awarded. The exhibitor will retain ownership of the quilt.

Judging Standards:

General appearance & design; colour & materials; workmanship (quilting, borders, binding and picots).

Sewing

Prizes \$5, \$3, \$2

NOTE: All articles must be machine or hand sewn

- 200 Girl's Dress (size 2 to 14)
- 201 Denim Article
- 202 Two Placemats, any type
- 203 Practical Cushion, not quilted but sewn
- 204 Oven Mitts or Pot Holder, 1 pair
- 205 Table Runner
- 206 Ladies Top, sewn
- 207 Up cycled article of clothing

Seniors (60 and Over)

Prizes \$5, \$3, \$2 unless otherwise stated

- *300 Article made from old jewelry
- *301 Article Embroidered
- 302 Knitted Hat, Scarf or Mittens
- 303 Article Crocheted
- *304 Afghan, any technique
- *305 Article, quilted

306 Slipper

Specials

Best of Section **300** (*Wallace Lang*) **\$5**

Best of Section **301** **\$5**

Best of Section **304** (*In Memory of Jean M Patterson*) **\$5**

Best of Section **305** **\$5**

Hand Knitting and Crochet

Note: Knitting-any machine Knit Articles will be disqualified

Prizes \$5, \$3, \$2

Knitting

400 Boy's or Girl's Sweater

401 Other Knitted Item, not mentioned in this section

402 Adult Sweater

403 Socks or Slippers

404 Afghan, knitted

405 Fairisle Sweater, at least 3 colours, any style or size

406 Macrame Item

407 Hat and Scarf or Mitts (2 items)

Crocheting

501 Article Made From "Granny Square"

502 Slippers

503 Doily, mounted, any size

Needlework

Prizes \$5, \$3, \$2 unless otherwise stated

600 Counted Cross Stitch Article, not framed

601 Needlepoint Picture, framed

602 Article Embroidered

603 Counted Cross Stitch Article Framed

Artist's Corner Pictures must be ready to hang.

Prizes \$5, \$3, \$2

700 A Sketch, any technique

*701 Landscape Scene, any medium

702 Animal/Wildlife, any medium

*703 Sunset or Sunrise, any medium

704 Still Life Picture, any medium

705 A Portrait, any medium

*706 Hand Painted Practical Article

707 Country Life Sketch or Painting

708 Farm Life Painting, any medium

Specials

Best of Section **701**

Gift Cert

Best of Section **703**

Gift Cert

Amateur Photography

Prizes \$5, \$3, \$2

For Amateurs Only! For your photos' protection, please ensure your photos are mounted on a background that staples will go through. A staple gun will be used to display pictures.

- 800 Our Beautiful Gardens, 4 prints
- 801 Children Do (Child Does) the Strangest Things
- 802 Our Community Events, 4 prints
- 803 Our Little Farmer
- 804 Our Child or Children, 4 prints
- 805 Local Sunset or Sunrise, 1 print, any size, framed or mounted
- 806 Vacation Time, 4 prints of scenes
- 807 Family and Friends, 4 prints
- 808 "Fair Theme", 4 prints
- 809 Nature, 1 print, mounted or framed, any size
- 810 Autumn Reflections, at least 2 prints
- 811 Our Grandchildren, 4 prints
- 812 On the Sydenham, 4 prints
- 813 Water, Snow and Ice, 2 prints
- 814 My Favourite Holiday
- 815 Me and My Pet
- 816 Favourite "Country Life" Photo, mounted
- 817 Alvinston Pro Rodeo Special (*Dan Cumming*) **\$15, \$10, \$5**
 "The Best of the Alvinston Pro Rodeo" (4 photos) 4"x 6", mounted on
 1 sheet.
- 818 A historical picture in our community named & labeled, mounted
- 819 In Memory of Ruth Leitch "Best Building" located in Alvinston, Inwood
 or Watford - 1 print **\$10, \$5, \$3**

Class 9

Baking & Canning

Committee: Chris Bryans, Betty Cooper, Mary Bryans, Hedy Black, Heather Straatman, Marilyn Graham

**** PLEASE READ HINTS & TIPS CAREFULLY! ****

JUDGES DECISIONS ARE FINAL!!

Exhibits will NOT be given out until 4:00 pm on Saturday!!

NOTE: Eligibility for Baking Champion extends only to TWO consecutive years of winning. All winners will ride in the parade on Saturday.

Baking Champion

Most points accumulated in Class 9 Sections 1-35

Brooke Alvinston Agricultural Society

Prize Pack

All exhibits in this class must be specified or are ineligible. Any deviation from the following rules will disqualify the entry.

- 1. All entries need entry tickets attached securely to exhibit and plastic bag coverings.**
- 2. All cakes and breads to be placed on sturdy cardboard a little bigger than the article being shown and in clear plastic bags.**
- 3. All pies are to be 9 or 10 inches, but only 4" wedge on a small disposable plate to be entered. Pastry is to be homemade.**
- 4. Yeast bread to be of previous days baking.**
- 5. Rolls are separate, buns together.**
- 6. Cookies to be no more than 3 inches in diameter.**
- 7. All canned goods sealed in PINT jars unless specified.**
- 8. Use disposable plate, size appropriate to number of articles.**

Baking Judges Tips

- 1. Size, colour, texture, weight, aroma, appearance and taste are all elements food judges use to make decisions.**
- 2. Use only fresh ingredients.**
- 3. Measure all ingredients precisely.**
- 4. Check the oven temperature to prevent over baking or burning.**
- 5. Cookies must be equal in size (3 inch in diameter), shape and appearance, bake them one sheet at a time in the center of the oven for even browning.**
- 6. If quick breads or muffins, mix ingredients evenly, but do not over mix (too much mixing causes tunnels or holes to form inside and can coarsen the texture).**
- 7. If batter, tap pan several times on counter to bring up air bubbles (prevents tunnels).**

8. Read and observe the rules and regulations in the prize list (i.e. How many cookies or squares are needed?)

9. NO overlap of crust for tarts.

10. BE CREATIVE!!

Prizes: 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$4.00, 3rd \$3.00

Breads & Rolls

- 1 Cinnamon Rolls, 3
- 2 Sourdough Bread, 1 loaf
- 3 Bread, any variety not mentioned, 1 loaf

Quick Breads & Muffins

- 4 Banana Bread, half a loaf
- 5 Pumpkin Loaf, half a loaf
- 6 Lemon Loaf, half a loaf
- 7 Bran Muffins, 3 (No Raisins)
- 8 Chocolate Chip Muffins, 3

Cookies & Squares

- 9 Peanut Butter Cookies, 3
- 10 Oatmeal Cookies, 3
- 11 Chocolate Chip Cookies, 3
- 12 Lemon Squares, 3
- 13 Families Favourite Square, 3 (Recipe Attached)
- 14 Date Squares, 3
- 15 No Bake Squares, 3
- 16 Chocolate Fudge Candy, 5 pcs
- 17 Peanut Brittle, 5 pcs

Pies & Tarts - *All pies are to be a 4" wedge on a small disposable plate. All pastry is to be homemade.*

- 18 Apple Pie
- 19 Blueberry Pie
- 20 Pumpkin Pie
- 21 Butter Tarts (plain), 3 (O.A.A.S Special) - O.A.A.S will require 6 tarts to be entered at district
- 22 Lemon Tarts, 3
- 23 Any Tarts not mentioned, must be labeled, 3
- 24 **Favourite Dessert** using **Munro Honey**, Recipe Attached.
1st, 2nd, 3rd Munro Honey Gift Cards

Canning - Any size jars, to be sealed using 2-piece lids.

Prizes: 1st \$4.00, 2nd \$3.00, 3rd \$2.00

- 25 Strawberry Jam, cooked
- 26 Raspberry Jam, cooked
- 27 Blueberry Jam, cooked
- 28 Pepper Pepper Jelly, cooked
- 29 Jam or Jelly not mentioned

- 30 Cucumber Relish
- 31 Applesauce
- 32 Dilled Vegetables
- 33 Salsa, mild or medium (must be indicated on lid)
- 34 Pickled Beets
- 35 Chili Sauce
- 36 Bread and Butter Pickles
- 37 Dilled Cucumber Pickles

Specials

To be eligible to enter any of the following specials you must have at least 4 entries in section 1 to 37 (please mark back of tag with the section numbers). Non winning pies can be picked up Friday night at auditorium kitchen or you can donate them to the pie auction (if donating please write auction on back of tag with the 4 section numbers)

- 38 Blueberry Pie, Lattice Top, **\$40 first place**
Sponsored by Ken Campbell, to be his
- 39 Cherry Pie, **\$40 first place**
Sponsored by Jeff Campbell, to be hers
- 40 Raspberry Pie, **\$40 first place**
Sponsored by Chris Bryans, to be hers
- 41 Pecan Pie, **\$40 first place**
Sponsored by Brent Shepley, to be his

OAAS Special Maple Syrup

Committee: Pam Hills (519-898-5273)

Rules:

1. The Entry must be completed by the exhibitor entering
2. By entering the OAAS competition, the exhibitor agrees to allow their name and exhibit to be part of any promotional activities related to the competition
3. Winner of this OAAS category at the Brooke-Alvinston Watford Fall Fair will be eligible to enter the District 13 competition

Prizes: 1st \$25.00, 2nd 15.00, 3rd \$10.00

1. Submit 1 curved Kent style glass bottles or equivalent, of Pure Maple Syrup, Ontario Grade A - Amber, 250mL

OAAS Special Liquid Honey

Committee: Pam Hills (519-898-5273)

Rules:

1. The Entry must be completed by the exhibitor entering
2. By entering the OAAS competition, the exhibitor agrees to allow their name and exhibit to be part of any promotional activities related to the competition
3. Winner of this OAAS category at the Brooke-Alvinston Watford Fall Fair will be eligible to enter the District 13 competition
4. Any honey entry containing any form of foreign material will be disqualified from the competition.

Prizes: 1st \$25.00, 2nd 15.00, 3rd \$10.00

1. Submit 1 clear glass container of Liquid Honey, 500 grams (375ml).

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Metal Arts (Welded)

Sponsor: DT Welding

Rules:

1. All components must be teal - no wood, plastics, etc. Can include nuts, bolts, horseshoes chain links, rod, recycled metal ect. Paint is optional.
2. Must have a welded component - Stick, tin, mig, bronzing, etc. However, no metal to metal adhesives (for example JB weld)

Sections 1 & 2

Prizes: 1st \$100.00, 2nd \$50.00, 3rd \$25.00

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|---|----------------------------|
| 1 | School Age (Grades 1 - 12) |
| 2 | Adult |



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Class 11

Flowers

Committee: Chrystal Bressette, Marilyn McKinlay, Edna Grover, Kathryn Smith-Annett

Master Gardener

The person who compiles the most points in Class 11, Sections 1-42.

NOTE: Eligibility for Master Gardener extends only to TWO consecutive years of winning. All winners will ride in parade on Saturday.

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Kathryn Smith-Annett

Plaque & \$25
Cash Prize

All entries must be from Amateur Exhibitor's home garden. All buds showing colour are considered a bloom. Count carefully. Committee is not responsible for loss or breakage.

Potted Plants

Prizes \$5, \$3, \$2

- 1 Cactus, 1 named
- 2 African Violet, one plant per pot
- 3 Unusual Plant, named
- 4 Pot of mixed herbs- min. 3 varieties, no larger than 3" pot
- 5 Begonia, any variety, 1 plant in a pot
- 6 Tropical House Plant, 1, named, not exceed 3' in height
- 7 Hens and Chickens in an unusual container

Cut Flowers

Prizes \$5, \$3, \$2

*Flowers, foliage & presentation to be judged, unless stated. No damaged leaves or flowers. Pick blooms of uniform size. For best presentation, vase or container should be 1/3 and flowers 2/3 of height.

- 8 Dahlias, 3 blooms, any variety
- 9 Mixed ornamental Grass – 10 stems max
- 10 French Marigolds, 5 blooms (small)
- 11 African Marigolds, large, 5 blooms
- 12 Single Petunias, 5 blooms
- 13 Large Zinnias, over 2", 3 blooms
- 14 Zinnias, pom pom, mixed colours, 5 blooms
- 15 Straw Flower, multicolour, 5 blooms
- 16 Hosta Leaves, 3 stems each ad different variety
- 17 Dusty Miller, 3 stems
- 18 Chrysanthemum, 5 blooms under three inches
- 19 Cosmos, 3 blooms
- 20 Bowl with Rose bloom floating, No foliage

- 21 One Rose in Vase, not red
- 22 Tuberous Begonia, Floated, 1 bloom (No foliage)
- 23 Bowl of Nasturtiums, own foliage
- 24 Flowers not mentioned, 5 stems – named
- 25 Gaillardia Flower, 3 flowers

Arrangements * To be fresh flowers unless otherwise stated*

Prizes \$8, \$6, \$4

- 26 “Country ” roadside arrangement, in a crock, pitcher or pail
- 27 “Wee Pixies”, miniature arrangement, in an egg cup (max ht. 5”)
- 28 “Tea Time Arrangement” - in a tea cup using fresh flowers
- 29 “Pretty in Pink”, design of fresh flowers in shades of pink only, in a co-ordinated vase
- 30 “Walking in the Clouds”, arrangement of white flowers, in oasis accessories allowed
- 31 Dried Floral Arrangement using seed heads or pods in a vase
- 32 Papa’s Cup Arrangement, live and dried material in a coffee mug
- 33 “Harmony”, mixed annuals, minimum 3 varieties in oasis
- 34 Arrangement in a western boot using natural fresh or dried material
- 35 Fair Theme Arrangement “Caution: Fall Fun Ahead”

Specials

- 36 “The Best Red Rose in the Show”, one long stemmed red rose in vase.
1st (*In Memory of Ross McLean*) **Rose Bowl Trophy**
- 37 Fall or Christmas Door Swag or Wreath(fresh or silk)
(*Kathryn Smith-Annett*) **\$10, \$8, \$6**
- 38 “Most Fragrant Rose”, 1 long stem rose, any colour
(*Kathryn Smith-Annett*) **\$7, \$5, \$3**
- 39 Christmas Centre Piece using evergreens and natural accessories/
candles (*Kathryn Smith-Annett*) **\$10, \$8, \$6**
- 40 An Arrangement using wide variety of perennials (min 5 Varieties)
(*Sipken’s Nurseries*) **Gift Card**
- 41 Best of Show Judges Choice **Gift Card**

Class 12 Junior Division

Committee: Pam Hills (519 898 5273), Chris Bryans, Edna Kerrigan, Carly Bryans, Barb Oke, Jean Van Damme, Melissa McLachlin, Laurie Lightfoot

Anyone, 16 years and under, may enter this division. The Champion, Runner Up & 3rd Place winners will be between the ages of 10 and 16 years inclusive, who compile the most points in the point earning sections, excluding specials. Please use the fair theme "Caution: Fall Fun Ahead" where possible.

Champion - Prizes valuing \$200.00

Runner Up - Prizes valuing \$150.00

Third Place - Prizes valuing \$100.00

(Sponsored by Alvinston Optimists) **Prizes \$5, \$3, \$2**

- 1 Article made from wood
- 2 String Art. Any size
- 3 Diamond painting
- 4 Collage on bristol board
- 5 Create a miniature farm
- 6 My favourite collection, on a tray(no larger than 50cm x50cm)
- 7 Pencil Sketch 8' x 10', mounted on black bristol board
- 8 Construct a Birdhouse. Any material
- 9 Craft using pylons, (mini or standard size)
- 10 Make a craft you found on Pinterest. Print a picture of the craft from the website and attach it to your creation. **\$10, \$6, \$4**
- 11 Paint a stone to resemble the Fair President
- 12 Create a piece of garden or yard art
- 13 Compose a poem about the fair **\$10, \$6, \$4**

Photography Prizes \$5, \$3, \$2

- 14 A photo of our fair, mounted, 1 photo
- 15 Colour Prints, old or historical structures, (6) mounted and labeled
- 16 Humorous Photo, Mounted with Caption
- 17 A photo using your favourite Snapchat filter of yourself
- 18 Mount 3 photos that "Tell a Story"

Flowers All Flowers must be from exhibitor's home garden **Prizes \$5, \$3, \$2**

- 19 Herbs arrangement in a jar
- 20 Flower arrangement, in a mug
- 21 Flowers to be used as a table center piece
- 22 Door wreath made of Pine Cones
- 23 Create a beach Terrarium

Specials

24 Best Arrangement in Annuals **\$5, \$3, \$2**

Home Crafts Prizes \$5, \$3, \$2.

25 Article of your choice made of twine

26 Make a pair of mittens

27 Knit or crochet item

28 Craft made from a kit

29 Make a bowl out of what ever you want

30 "Look what we made" Make a craft with a grandparent or senior.

Photo of craft being made by both in an envelope. Photo to be displayed after judging.

– Prizes will be paid at the Fair Office during the fair, after 4:00pm on Saturday –

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School Fair

(Junior Kindergarten to Grade 8 only)

Committee: Julie Hayter, Jessica Lucan-Clarke, Carol Leitch

Sponsored by: *Watford Optimists*

1. All entries must be in place by 11:45 am on the Friday of fair. The arena will be open on Thursday evening from 6 to 8pm. Doors open at 8am Friday.
2. No entry fee. Use GREEN School Fair/Craft Corner tags. Please ignore the gender box.
3. All entries should be grown in the community
4. Work should be done by the child, may have adult assistance.
5. Only one entry allowed in each section.
6. School Fair prize money is to be picked up on Saturday from 3:00-3:45pm at the School Fair Area.
7. ENTRIES MUST BE PICKED UP ON THE **SATURDAY** OF THE FAIR **BETWEEN 4:00 - 4:30PM ONLY. Not Before.**

Grain and Corn

Note: CORN - See that cobs are uniform in size, rows straight and well filled on top and butt. Remove husks (leaves). GRAINS - all grains must be present crop year, except soybeans may be previous crop year.

Prizes \$3.50, \$3.00, \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00

- 1 Corn, sweet hybrid, 6 ears
- 2 Corn, hybrid, under 3000 H.U., 6 ears
- 3 Corn, hybrid, 3000 H.U. and over, 6 ears
- 4 Ornamental Corn, husks attached, 6 ears
- 5 Soybeans, 1 liter glass jar
- 6 Wheat, (Fall) 1 liter glass jar
- 7 Barley, 1 liter glass jar
- 8 Oats, 1 liter glass jar

Vegetables

Prizes \$3.50, \$3.00, \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00

- 9 Potatoes, Red Chieftain for table stock, 3 tubers
- 10 Potatoes, A.O.V., for table stock, 3 tubers
- 11 Cabbage, 1 head
- 12 Beets, table stock, 3 roots, 2.5cm stems
- 13 Carrots, table stock, 3 roots, 2.5 cm stems
- 14 Onions, cooking, 3 roots
- 15 Onions, Red, 3 roots
- 16 Tomatoes, Paste type, 3 specimens, stems on
- 17 Tomatoes, Cherry, 5 specimens, stems on
- 18 Tomatoes, Red, 3 specimens, stems on
- 19 Squash, Pepper, 2 specimens, stems on
- 20 Squash, Butternut, 2 specimens, stems on
- 21 Peppers, Bell, 3 specimens, stems on
- 22 Peppers, Hot, 3 specimens, stem on

- 23 Collection of Vegetables from home garden. Not less than 6 samples, 1 of each. Quality of vegetables to count.
- 24 Collection of Gourds, not less than 6, different from home garden
- 25 Best Dressed Vegetable, Fruit or Gourd in the "Fair Theme"

Fruit

Prizes \$3.50, \$3.00, \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00

- 26 Apples, 3 specimens any variety
- 27 Pears, 3 specimens
- 28 Pumpkin, Pie Type, stem on
- 29 Pumpkin, Field Type, not squash type, stem on
- 30 Best Pumpkin decorated in the "Fair Theme" (NOT CARVED)

Flowers

NOTE: Use self-standing container. Quality of bloom is the prime consideration. Count number of blooms carefully. BAAS is not responsible for breakage.

Prizes \$3.50, \$3.00, \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00

- 31 Asters, 6 blooms
- 32 Mums, 6 blooms
- 33 Zinnia's, 6 blooms
- 34 Cosmos, 6 blooms
- 35 African Marigolds, large 6 blooms
- 36 French Marigolds, small, 6 blooms
- 37 Miniature Flower Arrangement (not to exceed 10 cm any dimension)
- 38 Dahlia's, 3 blooms
- 39 Daisies, 3 blooms
- 40 Black-eyed Susans, 3 blooms
- 41 Flowers, not mentioned in other sec, 3 blooms, named
- 42 Flowers not mentioned in other sec, 3 spikes, named
- 43 Largest Sunflower Head

Specials

Prizes \$5.00, \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00, \$1.00

- 44 Flower Arrangement for a Teacher's Desk
- 45 A Fairy Garden Planter
- 46 A Herb Garden planted in a clay pot(s)
- 47 Bouquet of Wild Grasses, minimum 4 varieties
- 48 A Walk in the Woods, a collection of grass, flowers and articles from your walk

Baking

NOTE: NO NUTS PLEASE!

Use own recipe, no mixes. Must be work of exhibitor, not adult. Plates will be available at entry table. NO paper cups unless stated. **53 & 54** do **not** need to be covered.

Prizes \$3.50, \$3.00, \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00

- 49 Chocolate Brownies, not iced, 3 pieces

- 50 Chocolate Chip Cookies, 3 plain
- 51 Oatmeal Cookies, 3 plain
- 52 Peanut Butter Cookies, 3 pieces
- 53 Banana Muffins, 3 pieces
- 54 Carrot Muffins, 3 pieces
- 55 Vanilla Fudge, 3 pieces
- 56 Chocolate Fudge, 3 pieces
- 57 a) Cupcakes, 3 decorated, in paper cups, edible decorations JK-Gr 1
- 57 b) Cupcakes, 3 decorated, in paper cups, edible decorations Gr 2-4
- 57 c) Cupcakes, 3 decorated, in paper cups, edible decorations Gr 5 - 8
- 58 a) Decorated Cake, quality of cake not to be considered.
Edible decoration only. JK-Gr 1 (No larger than 28 X 35 X15 cm)
- 58 b) Decorated Cake, quality of cake not to be considered. Edible
decoration only. Gr 2-4 (No larger than 28 X 35 X15 cm)
- 58 c) Decorated Cake, quality of cake not to be considered. Edible
decoration only. Gr 5-8 (No larger than 28 X 35 X15 cm)

Specials

- 59 Best Decorated Cakes in 58a, 58b, 58c **\$5 each**
- 60 Baking Champion - Most points in Section 49-58
(Linda Lee McEachern) **\$10 + Medal**
- 61 Child taking most points in School Fair
(Linda Lee McEachern) **Trophy**
(Watford Optimists) **\$10.00**

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Children's Craft Corner

Committee: Carly Bryans (519-918-0046), Chris Bryans, Pam Hills, Barb Oke, Laurie Lightfoot, Deb Durham, Jessica Oke, Danielle Lightfoot

Sponsored by: *Alvinston Optimist Club*

NOTE: Thank you for your co-operation and encouragement. THE ACTUAL WORK IS TO BE THE CHILD'S.

Rules:

1. You may only enter in your own age class
2. Decision of the judges shall be final and no complaints regarding their decision will be considered! All work MUST be exhibitor's own and worthy.
3. No entry fee. Use CHILDREN'S CRAFT CORNER TAGS (Green Tag)
4. All entries must be to the auditorium of the arena on the Thursday evening of the Fair, between 6:30pm and 8:00pm - Judging will start at 8:00 pm.
5. All work must be picked up on the Saturday of the Fair at 4 pm. BAAS is NOT responsible for work left after 4:30 pm.
6. All entries will be on display on the fair grounds from Friday to Saturday of the Fair.
7. One entry in each section, of each class (Class Grade)
8. School Fair and Craft Corner prize money is to be picked up on Saturday from 3:30-4pm at the School Fair Area. Child must be accompanied by an adult, know their school and teacher's name. Money will not be sent out this year. If you cannot pick up money when you pick up your entries, you must make arrangements to pick up your prizes.

All Crafts in this years were the most popular crafts from past years.

Prizes: \$2.50, \$2, \$1.75, \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1

Pre School (Age 3 and under)

1. Best colouring book picture
2. Finger painting a picture of a cow (no bigger than 8 ½" x 11")
3. Collection of your favourite things on a pie plate

Junior and Senior Kindergarten

4. A Collection of purple items in an egg carton
5. Create a Colourful repeat pattern on a piece of paper
6. Draw and colour a self portrait
7. Make a bug out of Playdoh on a plate
8. SPECIAL - Most points in Sections 4-7

Grade 1 & 2

9. Using your hand OR footprint decorate it to look like a piece of construction equipment
10. create and decorate a turtle using 2 paper plates
11. using an apple as the body create a "person" decorated with any media

12. Draw and label 5 different items found in a barn
13. SPECIAL - Most points in Sections 9-12

Grade 3 & 4

14. Make a race car using empty toilet paper rolls and decorate it
15. Create a Christmas stocking out of Bristol board and decorate it
16. Make a baby mobile out of recycled materials and decorate it
17. Draw and colour a portrait of a family member
18. SPECIAL - Most points in Sections 14-17

Grade 5 & 6

19. Hand draw picture of your favourite movie/tv/book character with their name
20. Make a pipe cleaner flower or flower arrangement
21. Create a piece of mosaic art out of beans (no bigger than 8 1/2x11)
22. Draw and colour a picture of your favourite hobby and tell us what you love about it
23. SPECIAL - Most points in Sections 19-22

Alvinston Killer Bees Special

Let's bring the buzz and show our pride for the Alvinston Killer Bees! The Killer Bees are excited to sponsor a Poster Challenge at the Brooke-Alvinston & Watford Fall Fair Children's Craft Corner! This is a chance for young fans to get creative and celebrate our hometown champions.

Poster Guidelines:

- Must be no larger than a standard Bristol board (22" x 28")
- Bonus points if you include "2025-26 NPHL Metro Champions" in your design

Prizes:

1st Place: 2 tickets to a regular season game + 1 piece of Killer Bees merchandise

2nd Place: 2 tickets to a regular season game

3rd Place: 1 ticket to a regular season game

Winning posters will be kept by the team

We can't wait to see the incredible designs our young fans come up with!

Let's fill the fair with buzzing energy

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Frog Jumping Competition

Sponsored by: *Alvinston Optimists*

Register at 12:45 pm at the tennis courts Saturday of fair.

1. Register at 12:45 pm at the tennis courts Saturday of fair.
2. Open to children 12 and under. One entry per child.
3. Frogs must be kept in containers except when competing and must not be released on or around the fairgrounds.
4. Competition to be held in the tennis court. The committee in charge will admit, at one time, the judge, frog owner and 1 coach.
5. Additional Rules and Regulations will be given Saturday, the day of the competition, following the parade.
6. Two frogs jump at one time.
7. Jump Off: From center to circumference line. Speed counts

Prizes:

\$12, \$10, \$8, \$6

Oreo Cookie Stacking Contest

Committee: Joe Triest, Lauren Dearing, Riley Dearing

Sponsored by: *Alvinston Optimists*

1. Register by 1:45 pm at skate park Saturday of the fair.
2. Children stack cookies for one minute, one at a time, the largest stack of cookies wins. If the stack falls over before one minute the number is counted then.
3. Contest open to boys and girls 10 and under.

Ages 4 - 6	Age 7 - 8	Age 9 - 10
1st \$4, 2nd \$3, 3rd \$2	1st \$4, 2nd \$3, 3rd \$2	1st \$4, 2nd \$3, 3rd \$2

All participants will receive a ribbon. The decision of the judges is final.

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Candy in the Straw
Saturday of the Fair, 3:00 pm,
BY THE PAVILION
Open to children 9 and under only.
FREE

Bike Draw
Saturday of the Fair at 3:30 p.m. at the Pavilion

1. Draw tickets available during the Sunday of the Fair
2. Bikes donated by Alvinston Optimists and Munro Honey. Helmets donated by BAAS.
3. **Must be present to win!**

“PumpKing” & “PumpQueen”

Committee: Logan & Carlie Cox (519) 872-5069

1. In Spring 2026, Pumpkin Seeds were dispersed to the Jr. Kindergarten, Sr. Kindergarten and Grade 1 students by the BAAS.
2. Pumpkins are to be brought to the fair before noon on Friday to be exhibited and judged. Only pumpkins produced from seeds provided will be accepted.
3. All contestants will receive an orange ribbon and \$2.00 when pumpkins are brought for judging.
4. The boy and girl who each show the heaviest pumpkin will win the titles of “PumpKing” and “PumpQueen”. Each will be awarded \$10.00, Cape and a Trophy during Opening Ceremonies of the fair on Friday Night.
5. ALL pumpkins are to be picked up on SUNDAY time TBD

PumpKing & PumpQueen Specials

\$10.00 each

McCabe Memorial Trophy, \$10.00 per winner & \$2.00 for all participants –
Donated by the McCabe Family

Capes – Donated

Sponsored by: Cornelissen Farms

In Memoriam

The Brooke Alvinston Agricultural Society wishes to acknowledge the passing during the previous year of all persons who contributed to the annual fair. They will be missed.

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1890 Alex McLean	1922 James McCallum	1959 Douglas Houston
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1897 George Bell	1929 Nevin McVicar	1966 Neil A. Campbell
1898 George Bell	1930 Harry Wilco	1967 Alex Ferguson
1899 William Weed	1931 Stanley Graham	1968 Lorne Edgar
1900 Walter Annett	1932 Etell McNeil	1969 Grant Dundas
1901 Alex L. Campbell	1933 George Tinney	1970 Charles Lawes
1902 D. J. McEachern	1934 A.D. McIntyre	1971 Ray Douglas
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1907 John McCallum	1938-1939 Lyle McLean	1976 Frank Kucera
1908 H. A. Gilroy	1940 D. F. Augustine	1977 Lloyd Eves
1909 John Spearman	1941 D. F. Augustine	1978 Lloyd Eves
1910 Alex McPhail	1942 Fred Braithwaite	1979 Mary L. Ross
1911 Dougald McIntyre	1943 John Cann	1980 Mary L. Ross
1912 Herbert Darville	1944 John Cann	1981 Lloyd Werden
1913 Leslie Oke	1945 John Cann	1982 Lloyd Werden
1914 D. A. McIntyre	1946 Robert Myers	1983 Joe Steadman
	1947 Robert Myers	1984 Joe Steadman
	1948 D.C. Turner	1985 Edward Gray
	1949 D.C. Turner	1986 Edward Gray
	1950 William MacDougall	1987 Elmer Douglas
	1951 William MacDougall	1988 Elmer Douglas

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2024 Kevin Straatman
2025 Kevin Straatman

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as the President
of the Brooke
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